

... in [IFP] cases.”); Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(c)(3) (the court must order the Marshals Service to serve if the plaintiff is authorized to proceed IFP).

To allow Plaintiff to effect service on Defendant Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) through the U.S. Marshals Service, the Clerk of Court is instructed to fill out a U.S. Marshals Service Process Receipt and Return form (“USM-285 form”) for Defendant. The Clerk of Court is further instructed to: (1) mark the box on the USM-285 form labeled “Check for service on U.S.A.”; and (2) issue a summons and deliver to the Marshals Service a copy of this order and all other paperwork necessary for the Marshals Service to effect service on the United States.

It is Plaintiff’s responsibility to ensure that service is made within 90 days of the date the summons is issued and, if necessary, to request an extension of time for service. *See Meilleur v. Strong*, 682 F.3d 56, 63 (2d Cir. 2012). Plaintiff also must notify the Court in writing if his address changes, and the Court may dismiss the action if Plaintiff fails to do so.


CONCLUSION

The Clerk of Court is directed to fill out a U.S. Marshals Service Process Receipt and Return form (“USM-285 form”) for Defendant Securities and Exchange Commission. The Clerk of Court is further instructed to: (1) mark the box on the USM-285 form labeled “Check for service on U.S.A.”; and (2) issue a summons and deliver to the Marshals Service a copy of this order and all other paperwork necessary for the Marshals Service to effect service on Defendant.²

The Clerk of Court is further directed to mail an information package to Plaintiff.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 4, 2025
New York, New York


 JESSE M. FURMAN
 United States District Judge

² The fact that the SEC filed a reply memorandum on March 14, 2025, in the underlying administrative proceeding, *see* ECF No. 3, ¶ 8, does not appear to warrant the Court’s immediate intervention. As such, the Court will reserve judgment on Plaintiff’s motions until service has been made and Defendant has appeared.

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